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- 50 Pieces Yard Wide Percale at 10 cents.
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**NEW ADVERTISEMENTS.**  
Cheap Homes—C. A. Schaefer & Co.  
Wanted—Girl.  
Step Ladders—Nesbitt & Bro.  
Opera House—Leavitt's Gigantic Vande-ville and Specialty Company.  
Auction Sale—Henry Roemer.  
Wanted—German Girl.  
Capital Dining Rooms—Martin Thorn-  
ton.  
Fish—J. Speidel & Co.  
Maple Syrup—R. J. Smyth.

**BONELESS CODFISH**

At **Geo. C. McMECHAN'S,**  
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**LOST**—Between Grubb's Jewelry Store and Capitol Building, a box of jewelry. The finder will be rewarded by leaving it at Grubb's Jewelry Store.

**Thermometer Record.**

The following shows the range of the thermometer, as observed at Schnepf's drugstore, Opera House corner yesterday:

Time	Temp.
7 A.M.	47
9 A.M.	50
11 A.M.	52
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3 P.M.	56
5 P.M.	58
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Gathered Here and There by Intelligence-Seeking Reporters.

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The mud mounds on the street were carted away yesterday.

The Hampden road carries a great many Chicago cattle just now.

Will Wheeling have a line of Herdies or an elevated railway, which?

Two Baltimore and Ohio Railroad conductors are being arrayed in gaudy new uniforms.

Eleven car loads of Western cattle went over the Memphis, to Washington, Pa., last Saturday.

EMMETT GARY had one of his fingers badly mashed, while at work at the Creek mill, yesterday.

There is great complaint about the condition of the board walk at the head of Eleventh street.

The contract for the brick work of the Fifth ward school house has been awarded to Hamilton & McGraham.

The bridge over Wheeling creek at Fulton has been closed for repairs by order of the Board of Commissioners.

HAMILTON & MCGRAHAM are having a telephone connection made from their pensinsula brickyard to the city.

NUMEROUS complaints come from Washington and Beck counties on account of the ravages of dogs among the sheep.

The steambath at La Belle has the most discordant whistle of any boat on the river, and it is in almost constant use.

MR. JAMES DYSON, of the Gas office, was badly burned while at work on the Island last Sunday, by an explosion of gasoline.

The Mathews smoke consumer will be put out either by Kate Stockdale or the St. Lawrence during the coming fortnight.

YESTERDAY was the opening of spring, but between Vannor and the almanac there is some difference, which was settled in favor of the former.

There will be a special meeting of the Board of Regents of the Deaf, Dumb and Blind Asylum, at Romney, April 10, for the purpose of organization and other matters.

The annual contest between the Philo and Union, and Franklin and Washington literary societies of Washington and Jefferson College, Pa., will take place to-morrow evening.

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Another rowing match between Murphy and Knocks is on the tapis. Knocks has already beaten Murphy twice out of three, and claims that he has developed wonderfully during the last year.

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PRATTSTOWN papers are trying to provoke Philadelphia papers to tackle some of the famous "spruces" around the "Smoky city." Now it occurs to us that Pittsburgh can be very well accommodated without getting so far away from home. Wheeling has a few right good ones, any one of whom is not afraid of any man in Pittsburgh.

Tux Terra Cotta and Sewer Pipe Works of McMahon, Porter & Co., at New Cumberland, West Virginia, under the supervision of Mr. Hugh McMahon, have done a fine business during the past year, and are preparing for a rushing spring and summer trade. They shipped 4,010 tons of pipe down the river last week, and will make another shipment of 2,500 tons to Cincinnati this week.

THREE years ago the peach trees were in blossom on the 18th of March. The year 1878 was the best for peach trees in this city, and the 18th of March was a cold rain. On the 19th there was a cold rain, which for a time fell in torrents. On the 20th the storm which had raged in Illinois and further west, reached Wheeling, and the city was deluged with rain.

During Sunday night the wind was very severe, accompanied with occasional storms of snow. On Monday morning the 21st, the roads were frozen on the surface and the roofs were covered with snow. The trees were protected from the wind.

**PERSONAL.**

**Points About People at Home and Abroad.**

ERZIEKEL BOND, one of the oldest citizens of this county, died at his residence in Triadelphia last Sunday.

Mrs. L. M. Atkinson left last night for New York, for the purpose of being present at the spring openings.

R. H. Black, the well known marble carver, yesterday for a tour of the quarries in the New England States.

Miss Sallie Howell entertained a number of her friends very pleasantly at the residence of A. Allen Howell, last Saturday night.

John Thornburg, Esq., the oldest citizen, if not the oldest person in Ohio county, is lying at the point of death at his residence near Triadelphia.

Among the prominent arrivals at the McClure House yesterday were Hon. J. B. Donley, of Wayneburg, Pa.; S. L. Bloyd, of Glen Easton, Va., and John S. Pollock and J. J. Gill, of Shenandoe, Va.

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Seats can be secured at Baumer's music store, Market street.

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Of Peter W. Bosley, the Market Street Contractor, of this City.

Two deeds of assignment were admitted to record by Recorder Hook, yesterday morning, which deeds had been executed by P. W. Bosley, the well known fruiterer and confectioner of Market street, this city. The first of these deeds assigns his book accounts and stock in trade, consisting of fine fruits, foreign and domestic, canned goods, &c., to James V. Patterson, to be disposed of for the benefit of the People's Bank, to secure a claim of \$7,300, with interest for some months, amounting in all to about \$7,500. The second deed assigns whatever might remain of his property to John O. Patterson, of Chicago, for the benefit of Christian Home, who holds a note for \$500 against Bosley.

Mr. Bosley also owes a great many other debts to various parties in and out of this city. He claims that his book accounts and stock in trade will be sufficient to discharge the debts above named. Mr. Bosley has been engaged in business in this city for many years and has been universally well thought of.

**The Railroad Rumpus.**

The INTELLIGENCER a few days ago announced that the attorneys of the B. & O. Railroad Company had applied for an injunction restraining the P. W. & Ky. Railroad Company from trespassing and encroaching upon certain real estate belonging to the first named company in this city. The injunction was granted by the attorney of the P. W. & Ky. road in this city and made returnable at Parkersburg before Judge Jackson of the United States Court on March 18th. Last Friday the case came up, Col. Burgess appearing for the B. & O. V. road, and the P. W. & Ky., and R. G. Barr for the P. W. & Ky. Railroad, but after a hearing, a temporary injunction was awarded to the Baltimore & Ohio Company.

**Coming Attractions.**

Col. F. Hester, the indefatigable caterer to our theatre going masses, has booked the following attractions for the near future, all of them being superior "shows."

March 29th and 30th, Bartley Campbell's "My Geraldine" April 5th, "My Partner" April 8th and 9th, Annie Pixley April 12th, Carceres' Minstrel April 15th and 16th, Maggie Mitchell April 18th, Densham Thompson as "Joshua Whittcomb."

**WORKINGMEN! Look to your interests**

and save doctor bills by using Dr. Bull's Cough Syrup.

**Municipal Court—Judge Cranmer.**  
This court met at 2 P. M. yesterday and transacted the following business:

On motion of W. P. Hubbard, M. T. Frame, an attorney, was admitted to practice in this court.

Flagg & Hoffman vs. Simon Baer & Son, in assumpsit. Case set for hearing April 15th.

Oliver T. Terry & Co. vs. L. C. Reed & Co., in assumpsit. Case dismissed at cost of plaintiffs on motion of defendant's attorney.

Adjourned until to-morrow at 11 A. M.

Nayden deferred until to-morrow what should be attended to to-day. A slight cough ought never to be neglected when a 25 cent bottle of Dr. Bull's Cough Syrup will prevent it from becoming chronic.

The "Ladies of the White House" is the title of a new book of great merit, written by Mrs. Laura C. Holloway, giving a complete history of the social and domestic lives of all the Presidents. The book is well written and is fine, and the book is historically valuable.

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**CITY HALL NOTES.**

Many Scraps of News and Notes Gathered at the "Arch."

Council meets in special session this evening.

So far this month the police have made fifty-three arrests.

Municipal Court met yesterday and adjourned until to-morrow at 10 A. M.

Chief of Police Bennett is proving himself to be a polite and accommodating official.

There is some probability of the liquor license ordinance coming up for discussion at the Council meeting to-night.

Mr. M. T. Frame, a promising young attorney of this city, was admitted to practice in the Municipal Court yesterday.

Yesterday morning's Police Court was a whitewash—not a case being on the slate—which is certainly an unusual occurrence for Monday.

It is said that the special meeting of Council called for this evening is for the purpose of hearing the report of the Committee on Ordinances.

If this paper published a column of "funny things to see," we might add two elaborately carved comical situations about the rail of the police Sunday night.

Lieutenant Caleb Sylvester says he has been told that he resembles Councilman Kimbrey. They would certainly be taken for a pair if skulled in a pack of cards.

"Tommy," the "mad" of all work at the City Hall, says he is going to strike Council for a pension. This Thomas should not be confounded with the one who was requested "to make room for his uncle."

City Receiver Dunaway and City Clerk Bowers, who occupy the headquarters on the Arch, say they have a big sensation, but they will not give it away, and their flinty hearts refuse to soften at the reporters' tearful appeals for a chance at it.

Officer Murrell pulled in a tired stranger hailing from Matamoras, yesterday, and escorted him to the lock-up, and by the time Police Court convenes this morning he will, no doubt, be rested sufficiently to answer the charge against him.

The special committee appointed to interview the State Board of Public Works in relation to moving the city offices into the Capitol building will probably report this day to-day. A superior examination of the "Arch" yesterday showed many cracks in the walls, and how the old pile has withstood the storms so long is one of the wonders of the age. There is plenty of room in the Capitol building to accommodate the city, and it would be a graceful act on the part of the Board of Public Works to allow the city to occupy a part of the building—if for no other reason than from a humanitarian standpoint.

**RIVER NEWS.**

**Movements of Steamboats—Leave Notes and Gossip.**

The marks last evening indicated 22 feet and rising.

The river was on a stand all day yesterday at Pittsburgh. River men here look for about three feet more.

Yesterday was a tolerable dull day on the levee, the local packets being the only movement of any importance.

A number of tows passed down yesterday, including the Alice Brown with a very large fleet.

The Courier will be to-day's packet for Parkersburg, leaving at 10:30 A. M.

The Welcome departs for Matamoras at 2 P. M. to-day.

The Bathoiler leaves for Pittsburgh at 7 o'clock this morning.

The Andes arrived from Cincinnati yesterday and will return at the usual hour for departure this evening. The Andes is a popular boat and deserves the patronage bestowed on her by a discriminating public.

The Free, Ellison for New Martinsville, La. Belle for Fairbury, Iowa, for meeting, and the O'Neil for Steubenville, are due at the docks at present.

An additional stage has been built for the "Old Reliable" wharfboat to facilitate business.

A number of barrels of salt and a quantity of lumber had to be moved up the wharf yesterday, out of reach of the rising waters.

There is some talk of changing the manner of making freight collections at the Lucas' Music Store at great bargains, and on easy payments of \$5.00 to \$10.00 per month.

We learn from reliable authority that the report of the purchase of the Virgle Lee by Capt. Jack Harrison was a little premature.

The Katie Stockdale, with her new wheel, says the Pittsburgh Commercial Gazette, did, as was expected, some good work last trip, and it is doubtful whether any of the last boats will care to tackle her.

The colored deck crew of the Pittsburgh quit on Saturday morning, at Pittsburgh, before the boat was unloaded, and at once proceeded to sue the boat. The proper authorities informed them that their contract for the boat was not broken, and that she was unloaded, and they did not receive their pay until the cargo was taken off.

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LOUISVILLE, March 21.—The river is falling slowly, with 10 feet 2 inches in the iron Age and tow, from Pittsburgh. Coal City, Pa., has a heavy rain, and the river is low, and low leave to-night for Pittsburgh. The Jas. W. Gaff arrived from Memphis this morning, and with the assistance of the tug Hop Loudon, she attempted to run the gauntlet of the canal. At 11:30 A. M. she was caught by the present current, that runs through a break in the dam, and both boats were swept through the gap. The Gaff lays about one hundred yards below the dam, opposite Eleventh street, hard against the rock. She lay there all day, and with her head up stream. A flat was dropped along side of her this afternoon to lighten her. The Hop Loudon was carried down on the rocks about one hundred yards below the dam, opposite Seventh street, where she lay all day, and was run over by the tug, and was constantly being getting thicker. My head is now entirely free from dandruff. My wife has used the Cocaine with equally happy results.

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5,000 yards choice new style calico at 5c.  
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